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Research Project For Recovery Of Oil From The Athabasca Sands

Four oil companies have begun a joint research project to release more than 40 billion barrels of recoverable oil from the Athabasca oil sands of northern Alberta, it was announced Thursday.

The four companies are Cities Service Athabasca Ltd., subsidiary of Cities Service Co. and operator of the project, Imperial Oil Ltd., Richfield Oil Corp. of Los Angeles, and Royalite Oil Co. Ltd.

Cities Service, Imperial and Richfield will each hold a 30 per cent interest in the partnership while Royalite will hold 10 per cent.

The Athabasca oil sands comprise the world's largest known reserves of hydrocarbons, the companies said. Located some 30 miles north of Edmonton along the banks of the Athabasca river, the over 40 billion barrels in deposits are about equal to the proved crude oil reserves of North America.

Research activities have been carried on individually by the four partners for several years, searching for a commercially feasible extraction method. The new partnership believes the problems can be solved by new techniques.

A $3,500,000 pilot plant on the scene with a 3000-barrel-per-day distillation unit strips the sand from the service and is put through a series of processes which remove the oil and return clean white sand to the mined areas.

Lac la Biche Mission

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cloutier and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Routhie at Atmore recently.

Mrs. Faugh from Edmonton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Narcisse Ladouceur.

A few men went fishing at Heart Lake recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Usher were Chistmas holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bourque.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Alexander from Boyle visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Tremblay.

Peter Parents purchased a car in Edmonton.

Midnight mass was conducted by Rev. Father Levert. The choir was led by Rev. Brother Lacroix and the hymns were sung in French and Cree. Rev. Sister St. Gratien played the organ.

Mrs. Patrick Ladouceur was taken to the hospital with a broken leg received in a fall on the ice.

George Coutney from North Yellowknife visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Bourget at Christmas.

J. Flobert visited Paul Parrento on his holidays.

Paul Cloutier from British Columbia visited his relatives here.

Mrs. J. L. Tardif and son Paul went to Ferland, Sask., to attend the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morin, who were maried at the Mission 25 years ago. While there, they also visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herve Marchildon and family visited their uncle Alfred Beaudoin recently. Other guests of Mr. Beaudoin were his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Plamondon and family, and W. Tardif and family of Lac la Biche.

DREAMLAND THEATRE

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Fri. & Sat., Jan. 22 - 23—

"Star in the Dust"

Family - Color. An action packed western. Starring: John Agar, Mamie van Dooren and Richard Brone.

Frid. & Sat., Jan. 29 - 30—

"THE TRAP"

Family - Color. An action drama. Starring: Richard Widmark, Lee J. Cobb and Tina Louise.

Quash Conviction Lac La Biche Man

Andre Dupre of Lac la Biche Mission, who was convicted by Magistrate G. W. Franchuk last August of stealing a granary and a small quantity of grain, appealed his conviction to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of Alberta.

His appeal was allowed the morning of January 13 and both convictions were quashed.

Mrs. Jack Williams Visits Son In East

LAC LA BICHE — Mrs. Jack Williams left at the end of last week by train for Ottawa to visit her son Roddy and his wife and to meet for the first time he grand daughter, four months of age.

Roddy Wilson, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson, is with naval communication in Ottawa but expects to be posted to Churchill in February.

Roddy was a sea cadet before joining the navy six years ago. He was in Aklavik 18 months prior to his posting in Ottawa.

His mother, who expects to be away some three weeks, will visit relatives at Parry Sound, Ont., her parents' old home, before returning to Lac la Biche.

1,200 - Horse Power Diesel Pulls NAR Freight Train

For the first time in the history of the Northern Alberta Railways, Lac la Biche Waterways line, diesel powered locomotives have been put into service.

Last Wednesday one of the new 1200-horse power diesels pulled the freight train bound for the end of steel at Waterways. The shrill whistle, so different from the familiar steam whistle, sounded the changing of an era, and announced the steady march of progress even in our midst.

It is reported that five diesel units, at a total cost of approximately $900,000, have been designated for freight service on this line where some lighter rail is still in use. Much of the lighter rail is being replaced in stages by heavier rail and it is assumed that when the changeover is complete the diesel power will also be used on the passenger trains which should result in a faster service to Edmonton.

Mr. & Mrs. Henson Honored At Party

CASLAN — Mr. and Mrs. Berton Henson were guests of honor at a party when friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Henson one evening recently.

Whist was played, with Mrs. Tom Coulter and Elmer Meyer winning prizes for the highest scores. After lunch a group enjoyed a game of canasta.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Henson were the recipients of a number of beautiful wedding gifts.

ATA Code Of Ethics Discussed At Meet

LAC LA BICHE — The regular meeting of the ATA was held Jan. 15th in the school with President. Paul Piquette, presiding.

A discussion was held on the code of Ethics of the ATA.

Plans for a teacher's bonspiel to be held either Jan 30 or Feb 6, were completed. N. Chodin was appointed to the bonspiel committee.

Games were played, Mrs. T. V. Sykes and Archie Gerard being the winners.

Lunch concluded a pleasant evening.

Send Delegates To Co-op Convention

It was decided at the Hylo Co-op directors' meeting, held Jan. 12, to send Carl Keehan as delegate to the Co-op convention in Edmonton.

Albert Michetti was instructed to obtain more information regarding the Co-op education movement.

Drilling Starts On Northern Wells

EDMONTON — Drilling has started on the first of a series of test wells 40 miles north of the Arctic Circle, Western Decalta Petoleum Limited announced.

The well is located near the largest oil seepage found north of Norman Wells, N.W.T., on the MacKenzie River.

Western Decalta is the operator of the test series on behalf of four other companies: Supertest, Canpet, New Continental, and Glacier Explorers.

Hospital Patient

Mrs. Marshall Hamar is a patient in the General Hospital, Edmonton, where she underwent surgery on her arm, fractured last fall.

Magazine Prints Badry's Drawing

Gary Badry, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Badry, has contributed an original drawing in color of a western scene to the January issue of the children's magazine Jack and Jill. His drawing, which was chosen from hundreds of contributions sent by children from all over the world, is one of six, submitted by readers of the magazine and appears on a special page of magazine.

Gary, who is 13 years of age and a grade 8 student, will receive a copy of the Jack and Jill Round the Year Book' Each month the editors award a copy of the book to the children whose original drawings are featured in the magazine.

Mental Health Will Be Discussed By WI

LAC LA BICHE — A Director's meeting of the WI was held at the home of the secretary, Mrs. J. Booker, with the new president, Mrs. F. Creighton, presiding. Others present were, Mrs. Hamar, Mrs. E. Woynarowich, Mrs. E. Linnell, Mrs. L. Badry, Mrs. S. Hamar and Mrs. W.E. Coast.

Standing committee conveners were discussed, there being two convenerships vacant. It is hoped to fill these positions before the January meeting.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. L. J. Badry and a talk on mental health is to be the topic of the evening. Members are requested to hand in their forms on the radio survey at this meeting also.

Tentative plans were made for the meetings from February till June.

MRS. IRENE SAMPIETRO of Beaver Lake was one of six children of the Huppie family who were recently re-united in Kimberley, B.C., for the first time in many years. Mrs. Sampietro and her husband, Pete, operate the Sampietro Inn at the lake resort, three miles east of the town of Lac la Biche. Pictured left to right are: Peter Huppie, Kimberley; Mrs. Joe Gairdner, Crawford Bay; Mrs. D. Arnfinson, Kimberley; Mrs. Ron Bowness, Kimberley; Mrs. Sampietro; and Thomas Huppie, Kimberley. The six were reunited for the first time since childhood. In addition, there were 12 of the six couples children. The family's parents are deceased. —Photo courtesy The Kimberley News.

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Board Passes Deficit Budget

The Edmonton Exhibition Board passed a deficit budget for 1959-60 season.

The budget predicts a net loss of $21,600 for the year.

Members of the board were told much of the loss would be due to construction of new racing barns.

Agricultural Lease

BEAVER LAKE INDIAN RESERVE No. 131

LAC LA BICHE, Alberta

TENDERS will be received until 2:00 p.m. on the 15th day of February, 1960 by Superintendent J. R. Wild, Edmonton Indian Agency, 129 Post Office Building, Edmonton, Alberta, for the lease of all of Section 13 the S.E. ¼ of Sec. 23, and all of Sec. 24 not taken up by the waters of Cross Lake, Twp. 65, Range 13, West of the 4th Meridian, all within the boundaries of Beaver Lake Indian Reserve with following conditions:

(1) Clearing of brush, breaking and bringing the land into a state of agricultural productiveness.

(2) Fencing will be the expense of the lessee and revert to the property of the Beaver Lake Band on termination of the lease.

(3) Tenderers are required to detail at time of tendering their proposal of lease rentals by crop share, acreage bonus, etc. for each and every year of the said lease not exceeding ten years.

(4) Tenderers will be required to supply evidence of satisfactory finances and ability to work the lease in a thoroughly husbandlike manner.

(5) The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Hospital News

LAC LA BICHE—Patients in St. Catherine's Hospital: Raymond Bone, Lac la Biche; Albert Germain, Breynat; Donna Piche, Imperial Mills; Henry Bugle, Beaver Lake; Sandra Ann Clarke, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Emile Gauthier, Plamondon; Josephine Mahowich Venice; Mrs. Rene Proulx, Wandering River; Mrs. Alex Lozinski, Hylo; Louis Bourassa, Plamondon; Mrs. Gabriel Gadue, Shirley Ann Arnison, Lac la Biche; Elof Anderson, Noral; Emile Berube, Lac la Biche Mission; Mrs. Frederick Plamondon, Plamondon; Mrs. Nick Kawryletz, Wandering River; Joan Bozok, Mike Monais, Imperial Mills; Francesco Macor, Venice; Mrs. Wilfrid Plamondon, Plamondon; Mrs. Fred Rebkowich Wandering River;

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Born to: Mr. and Mrs. Max Stevens of Rich Lake, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coates of Lac la Biche, a boy.

South Caslan

Edward and Charlie Delorme left recently for Entrance.

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Fredricks and three sons of Lac la Biche Mission were guests at the home of Norman Cardinal.

Mrs. John Auger returned home from Lac la Biche Hospital last weekend

Albert Huppie of this district has returned from Edmonton after spending Christmas and New Year's at the home of his sister in Edmonton.

Mrs. B. Pat's baby is a patient in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Joe of this community recently went to Philomena, following the death there of Mrs. Joe's sister, Mrs. H. Bouque.

Jim Benson of Lac la Biche was a district visitor last weekend.

Sarrail

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hewko are proud owners of a new television set which was recently installed in their home.

Mrs. Andrew Hewko has returned home after spending some time with her mother in Lamont.

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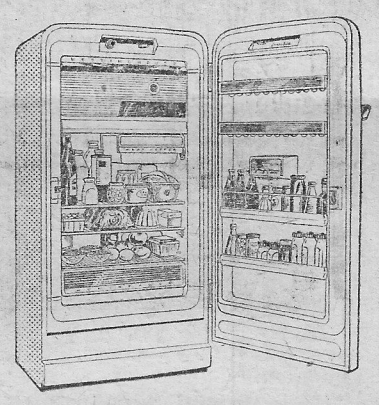
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Rich Lake

Mrs. John Waine lost her wrist watch on the street in Lac la Biche recently.

Several district farmers are brushing roads on the government relief project to assist farmers.

School resumed on January 4 with most of the interior decorating completed but the lighting is still unfinished. One classroom being without lights at all, a hindranse with school starting at 9:00 a.m.

The Ladies' Aid Christmas party was held January 2 at Carmen Kumpuld's. Attendance was poor, due mainly to the sudden cold weather. The group has purchased two dozen hymnals and a collection plate for the church.

Hylo

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lozinski have returned from Vancouver, B.C., where they spent a month visiting with their two daughters.

Mike Poholski returned from a business trip to Edmonton last Friday.

Nick Gushinsky and Nick Owchar Jr. came home to visit their parents last week.

Mrs. A. Bourassa was a patient in the Lac la Biche Hospital last week and Mrs. F. Marchesi took over duties in the Co-op Store during that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owchar and Linda visited their son and daughter-in-law at Bonnyville recently.

Andrew Lozinski motored to Edmonton on business last week.

Avenir

Daniel Plamondon, Oral Plamondon and Lee Perner are employed on the road to Plamondon from Avenir cutting bush.

Ross Galbraith of Owl River was a visitor at the home of E. Borgen.

Romeo Plamondon is cutting roads out with his bulldozer for an oil company.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Borgen have returned from Westlock after spending New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gudmundson and Dennis spent New Year's with Pte. and Mrs. Harold Borgen at Wainwright.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Dube and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Perner.

Egg Lake

Miss Simone Girard has returned to Edmonton, where she is taking first year education, after having spent her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Girard.

Mr. and Mrs. Armand Lebeuf spent a couple of weeks at the home of their son, Maurice Lebeuf. They have now returned to Edmonton.

Mrs. James Rudiger and little daughters Eileen and Brenda are visiting relatives and friends in the district.

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Caslan

Shirley Bourque was elected treasurer for the Caslan school club in place of Melvin Cherniwchan.

Mrs. Rock Duckworth of Boyle was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Krumpic recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Giblak motored to Edmonton last Monday. Bertram Henson accompanied them on the trip.

The Greek Orthodox Ladies' Society held a meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Matushek recently.

John Reed has returned to Boyle where he is employed.

Bayview

Mrs. Smith accompanied by her daughters Aleta and Mildred, went to Edmonton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Kirkwood and son Kendalle of Westlock were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jeans.

Fred Smith, accompanied by Miks Baskalyk, left for the south for a few days holidays.

The men are busy cutting and burning brush along the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gudmanson of Westlock are renewing acquaintances in the district.

Mrs. Mike Luc is back home from Lac la Biche Hospital where she underwent surgery.

PRAIRIE POPULATION POLYGLOT

In discussing the Prairie Provinces, the Book Knowledge points out that less than half of the population is of British descent This is true of each of the three provinces—Alberta, Manitoba, Saskatchewan,

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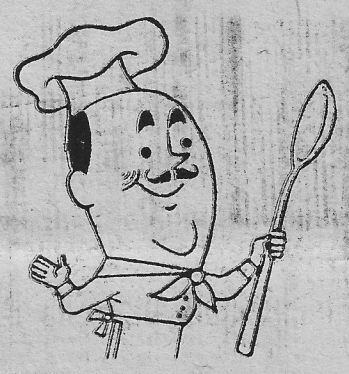
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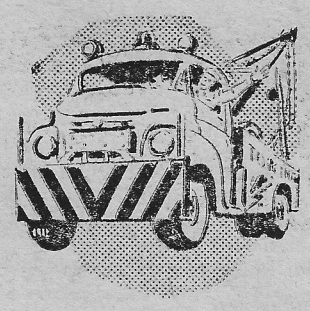
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By BERTHA M. McCUTCHEON

The holidays are over and I hope you are back to a semblance of your regular routine. Now is the time to plan some improvements for the home. Money is scarce indeed, but many projects require more time than money.

B. McCutcheon

How about re-upholstering a worn chair or chesterfield? Before you start, check the springs and webbing. The latter may need replacing and the former re-tying. You might be interested in making slip covers. Denim is reasonable in price and will stand hard usage.

We all have scratched and marred pieces of furniture. An interesting project would involve removing the old finish, and applying a new one in lighter tones. Take a good look at your kitchen. Is there a more efficient arrangement of appliances and counter space? Most people work from left to right. The natural work sequence is from refrigerator to sink to stove and finally to the table. The three major appliances should form a triangle. Each should have adequate counter space alongside. There should be centres for baking and meal preparation where all the equipment required is within arm's reach.

Look at your kitchen through the eyes of a stranger and try to visualize different arrangements, or you might draw some of these on squared paper. A simple re-organization of the contents of the shelves and drawers might save many steps.

This would be a good time to clean the cupboards, put in new shelf-paper or paint the inside a cheery contrasting color. All the cupboards and closets in the home could be cleaned systematically before the regular spring housecleaning. Do not forget the bureau drawers and do not attempt too much in one day.

Our office has pamphlets on making slip covers and curtains, re-upholstering and finishing furniture. We also have information on efficient kitchen arrangements. Do not hesitate to ask for help.

Prizes Given At Successful Dance

GRASSLAND — A successful dance was held recently, sponsored by the Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Church.

A draw was held later in the evening and the following were declared prize winners:

C. M. Sutton, Grassland; Gregory Kerylchuk, Venice; Joe Pawlawich, Lac la Biche; Sandy Karpetz, Atmore; K. Kovaluk, Noral; Fred Shyian, Frains; Geo. Baraniuk, Boyle; Nestor Ozipko, Bon Accord; Mrs. M. Juniec, Grassland; Alex Ladouceur, Lac la Biche Mission.

Free Churches Hold Annual Meetings

The annual business meeting of the Lac la Biche Evangelical Free Church was held Wednesday, January 13. The following were elected to the church board: Emile Cadieux F. D. Creighton, and Wm. C. MacFarland. Other officers included Mrs. Ed Guinand, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Ed Cadieux, Sunday School superintendent; Pastor Dan Goldsmith, assistant Sunday School superintendent, and Gerry Cadieux, Sunday School secretary.

The Hylo Evangelical Free Church held its annual business meeting on Thursday, January 14.

Officers elected at that time were as follows: Andy Guinand, William J. Sawchuk, and T. N. Sawchuk elected to the church board; Mrs. William J. Sawchuk, secretary-treasurer; Pastor Dan Goldsmith, Sunday School superintendent and William Sawchuk, assistant Sunday School superintendent.

Both churches show increased interest and activity. Attendance has increased in all services. The Women's Missionary Society was begun in Lac la Biche in 1959 and plans are underway for the beginning in Hylo this month of January, 1960. Regular young people's meetings were begun in both churches during 1959. Giving to the churches has increased by 50 per cent over 1958. Some remodelling and interior finishing was begun on the Lac la Biche church during the month of December, 1959.

Plans are now being made for a four day missionary conference to be held in both churches during the month of March.

Grassland

Miss Shirley Derko was a recent visitor to Lac la Biche for medical treatment.

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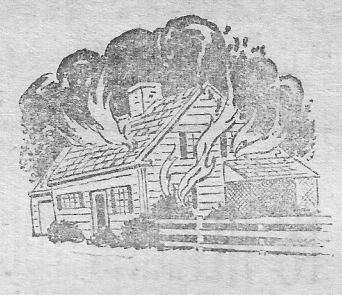

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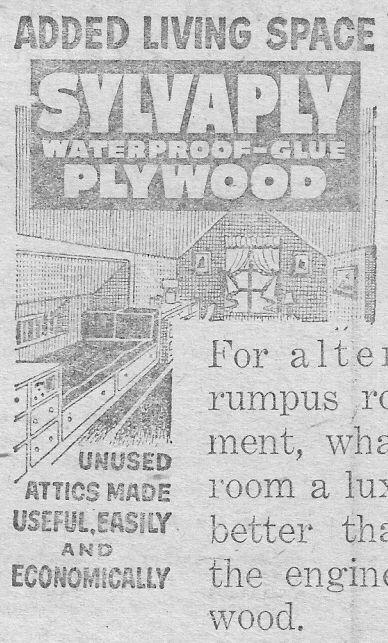

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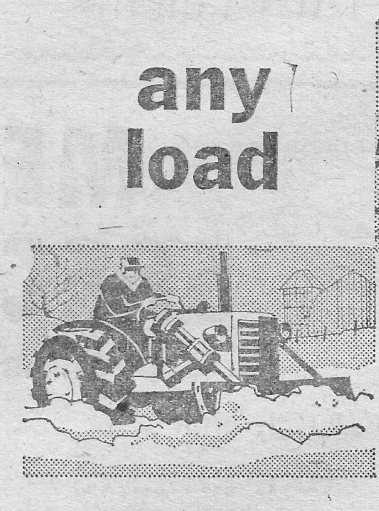

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Frains

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shwetz during Christmas were: Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nikipelo of Boyle; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ewashko and Mr. and Mrs. Bilida of Thorhild.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kowalyk and family during Ukrainian Christmas were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuzik and Patsy, Nick Kuzik, Jack Scott and Nick Karpo, all of Edmonton.

Recent visitors to Edmonton included Jack Shwetz and Leonard, and Alexander Tymo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wasalenchuk were business visitors to Athabasca recently.

Home for English Christmas were: Miss Minny Shwetz, John Kornak, Miss Jean Shwetz, John Pusiarski, Nick Mamchu, Mr. and Mrs. Achy Shwetz, Anne Loposhinski, George Wasalenchuk and Anne Nahrabinchyk.

Stella Shyian spent her Christmas vacation in Athabasca with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bilida and family.

Mike Horhut left for work up north after spending two weeks holiday at home.

Trucker Michael Kniazky of Caslan had an accident on the corner by Carrail Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Church while returning from Edmonton. Occupants in the truck were not hurt but the vehicle was partly demolished.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. N. Greschuk and family during Chistmas were: Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Buchanan of Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Greschuk of Drayton Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Alec Greschuk and Garry Glen and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Greschuk of Edmonton.

The movies shown in the hall every Thursday are well- attended.

Visitors at the Kolach home were Peter Letwin, Andy Letwin, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Letwin, Tony Gantowiak and Nick Gantowiak, all of Hollow Lake.

Recent visitors to Edmonton included Mrs. John Pfau, Olga Nahrabinchyk, Fred and Peter Gilowsky, Mrs. Dan Kolach and family, John Pfau, John Shyian and Emma Pfau.

A big crowd attended the dance held in the hall on Jan. 8.

Singers entertained the community with carolling on Jan. 7.

Congratulations are being received by Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chamzak on the birth of a girl, Shirley Irene.

Betty Kolmatycki is back home after a brief stay in the Athabasca Hospital.

A church meeting was held in the school recently.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Shyian were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bilida of Athabasca, and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lechky and family of Boyle.

Congratulations are being received by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kashuba, nee Vicky Kolach, on the birth of a girl, Karen Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kolach visited the latter's mother in Hollow Lake during English Christmas.

Mike Kowalyk is home after a lay-off from his work in Edmonton.

Home for Ukrainian Christmas were: Minny Shwetz and Rose Hnatyshyn; Rae Kolach; Olga Broda; Pauline Kolmatycki; Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hussynec; Mrs. Sophie Shwetz; Miss Anne Loposhinski; Mr. and Mrs. Hussynec; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Pfau; Miss Anne Nahrabinchyk; Miss Jean Shwetz; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ryl and family; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Broda and Mary Loposhinski.

Miss Mary Loposhinski spent her week holiday at her mother's home.

Visiting with Joe Kuzik and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chamzak and family for Ukrainian Christmas were: Nick Kuzik; Jack Scott, George Chamzak and sisters, and Steve Kuzik.

A Church meeting was held in the school on Jan. 10.

Church services were held in the Frains Catholic Church and the Sarrail Greek Orthodox Church on Saturday, Jan. 9.

Miss Emma Pfau spent two weeks in Edmonton.

Brian Gelowski was a patient in St. Catherine's Hospital in Lac la Biche. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gelowski of Whitehorse who are visiting with the former's family in Twin Spruce.

Plamondon Bay

Mr. and Mrs. G. Ladouceur, Les Mein, and Felix Powder recently made a business trip to Edmonton. They were accompanied home by Albert Powder.

Mrs Madeleine Taylor of Edmonton has been renewing acquaintances in the district.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stratton on Sunday were Mrs. P. Parranto and sons of Lac la Biche Mission and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dragon and the Frederick boys.

Visitors in the district over the holidays included: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ladouceur, Ronnie Dragon, Dianne Inkster, Mrs. M. Taylor, all of Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Skidmore and family of Innisfree; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Warren and family of Hylo; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Johnson of Owl River; Alex Ladouceur of Lac la Biche; Mrs. Paul Parronto and family of Lac la Biche Mission; Mrs. A. Logan of Athabasca; Ed Whitney of Donatville; Les Mein of Brandon, Man; Romeo Plamondon of Avenir; Mr. and Mrs. M. Ladouceur of Bayview; V. Ladouceur and Ed Murphy of British Columbia; Neil Stratton of Waterways.

Misses Mildred and Joyce Ladouceur were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ladouceur of Edmonton.

Edgar Belanger has now his sawmill, located on Alex Stratton's farm, under construction.

Gilbert Ladouceur of Imperial Mills has been renewing acquaintances in the district recently.

Mrs. Alex Stratton and daughters Gloria and Evelyn of Edmonton, Doris and Neil of Waterways and son Donald spent their season holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mits Iawassa, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Belanger of Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Serniak of Medicine Hat.

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Eddy Wolack was a patient in the Athabasca Hospital for a few days.

Weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Luchka included Mr. and Mrs. Passie of Egremont and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Passie of Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Luchka and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Bencharski of Boyle.

Recent visitors to Athabasca were Nick Zilinski, Mrs. Jean Zuber, Mrs. Jean Kochon, Mr. and Mrs. M. Homeniuk and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kanarek and Teresa.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Koltowski and Sylvia were Sunday visitors at the Peter Homeniuk and Nick Zilinski homes.

Mrs. Mary Zilinski and baby daughter Sharyn Carol are home from the Athabasca Hospital.

The local Ukrainians observed Christmas on January 7. A few groups of carollers of outer districts toured this community singing beautiful carols.

Plamondon

Mr. and Mrs. Emile Magnum and Lucien Magnum spent a weekend visiting their sister at the convent, Rev. Sr. Leontine Marie.

Real Plamondon, Johnny Gauthier, Jeromie Gauthier and Bernard Gauthier have left to return to Fort Smith. Bernard Gauthier will be spending a few weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mitchel and family spent New Year's holiday with Mrs. Mitchel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lemay and visited in Lac la Biche at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lemay.

Mr. and Mrs. Reni Marinier and family also visited at the Lemay home over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lemay spent a weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Reni Marinier and Mr. and Mrs. A. Marinier of Boyle and Donatville.

Mrs. Bert Plamondon, Mrs. Harold Belanger, Mrs. R. E. Piquette and Mrs. Elmer Plamondon travelled to Edmonton on a business visit.

Mrs. Elmer Plamondon remained in Edmonton for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Young spent a few days around this district and Lac la Biche on business.

Arthur Lemay made a business visit to Edmonton and Red Deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Octave Checvigny had their family from St. Albert visiting them over the Christmas weekend.

Mrs. Octave Chevigny gave a dinner party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Piquette's 27th wedding anniversary.

Oil activity seems to be in full swing north of Wandering River and reports are some wells are in as far away as Pelican Rapids.

Church Notice

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Sunday, January 24

LAC LA BICHE

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Public Worship	11:00 a.m.

RICH LAKE

Public Worship	2:00 p.m.

ATMORE

Public Worship	8:00 p.m.

Lac la Biche Team Defeats St. Paul 6-4

Lac la Biche Clippers were again victorious in a thrilling hockey game played on home ice against the St. Paul team. This time the score was 6-4.

Goals for Lac la Biche were scored by E. Lobay, J. Stewart, G. McCormick, D. Michetti, T. Abougoush and O. Franchuk. Foster Stewart, Clipper goalie, again played a sensational game, as time after time he turned back the opponent's shots.

Officials for the game were Linklater and Gary Crane.

Vilna High School team will play the local boys on Sunday, January 24th.

Amesbury

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bourassa and girls of Edmonton and Mrs. Albert Michetti and daughter Sandra of Hylo were New Year weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philias St. Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Jean moved into their new home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliva St. Jean and family; Mrs. Robert St. Jean, Alcide and Lorraine; Mr. and Mrs. Philias St. Jean and family and Gerald Parent motored to Lac la Biche to see the show "The Ten Commandments" recently.

Atmore

Mr. and Mrs. Richards of Calgary were visitors at the William Campbell home here last week.

Max Stanchfield, assistant ranger, is now planning a new road near Crow Lakes where he will be employed for several weeks.

Ross Tucker was a business visitor to Lac la Biche last week.

Ross Tucker is the proud owner of an International 1960.

Eddie Ramsum received severe cuts on his face from a power saw while felling trees on his farm.

George Ramsum is visiting at the coast. He is staying with his daughter Bernice, Mrs. Ron Guse. Bernice is the proud mother of a 7-pound baby girl.

Preparations are under way for a bonspiel to be held here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ballard, Sharon and Ted and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Kanzig and family motored to Grassland last week to help celebrate the first birthday of Miss Kathy Isaac, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Isaac of Athabasca. Mrs. Isaac is a Grade 1 teacher at Grassland school.

Venice

Lucy Giacobbo of Edmonton is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Irma Giacobbo.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Torresan from Drayton Valley were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Torresan.

William and Frank Lefebvre travelled to Vimy on business recently.

Mrs. Anna Macor and Mrs. Erminia Macor were visiting relatives and friends in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bonifacio motored to Edmonton to visit the former's mother, Mrs. Pio Bonifacio who was ill.

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PART 8

Authority Won't Hurt Junior A Bit

The father of a child who was a critical behavior problem complained to a probation worker in Los Angeles, "I just don't understand it. I've been a pal, a real buddy, to my boy".

"You may have been a pal and buddy," the probation worker replied. "But have you been a parents? Don't forget a child needs that, too."

This I found a common pattern throughout the country. Children need pals, certainly (that's why they have playmates), but children also need a mother and father who are not afraid to be parents.

Howard Whitman

At the Family Service Organization of Louisville, Ky., Director Esther Taylor commented, "One of our greatest problems today is to get children to accept love and authority from the same source." Because parents have been plied with the notion that they had to be "buddies," and because "authority" has been as naughty a word as "discipline" in the lexicon of some of our latter-day experts, we have a generation of children who have largely been deprived of parental leadership and strength.

We have produced a good many wishy-washy parents and an outsize crop of child tyrants.

A therapist at the Child Psychiatric Clinic of the Evanston, Ill., Hospital reported, "We have quite a problem with parents who are too long suffering. They let the child get so bad that he is really unlikeable. We have to help them to be more strict, reasonably so, that is—to be more like parents."

A case worker at the Washington Institute of Mental Hygiene added, "Some parents treat the child as though he were the authority in the home. They react to his every whim, soon giving the child the idea that he is a dictator."

Child dictatorship is just about as bad as any other kind. Our juvenile court judges and our youth bureaus have seen the odious results of it. They have seen parents reduced to flaccid ineffectiveness. In Detroit Juvenile Court, Judge Nathan Kaufman declared:

"It is shocking to see parents surrender to their own children. But that is what many of them do. They give up. I've had parents whose youngsters 14 and 15 years old go out on drinking parties in the woods until 2 and 3 in the morning and the parents come in and say, 'We can't do a thing about it. We just can't handle them'."

IF CHILD IS BOSS

Judge Kaufman added, "That is what happens when the child becomes boss of the home. Once the child is boss, the home is lost."

Sergeant George Simmons, of the Police Youth Bureau in Ann Arbor, Mich., reported, "We have parents come here and push their youngsters through the door and say, 'Here, you handle them. We can't do anything with them'." To this Simmons' reaction is, "They have had 10 or 15 years to civilize their children and they have failed. Now they expect me to do it in 10 or 15 minutes.'

I've found little respect among today's psychiatrists and guidance personnel for the parent who allows his children to walk over him. To summarize the reactions I have found: "A parent who lets his child make a fool of him is a fool."

But there is more to the story. This is no mere matter of rescuing parents who have bogged down in their own ineptitude. It is a matter of rescuing children.

Wishy - washy parents deprive children of one of their prime deve opmental needs. They need the vitamin of parental authority as much as any vitamin in their diets. And today's new trend in child-care is to see that they get it.

BUT NOT BOSSY

This is not to say that the "authoritarian" parent has come back into vogue, far from it. Authoritarianism is the abuse of authority. The parent who uses authority properly does so with love, understanding, and fair play. In the well-run family the parent can be boss without being bossy.

"Children feel safer when their parents have strength and authority," declared Director Elizabeth Porter of the Family Service Society of New Orleans. "Our cases constantly show us that the child is disappointed when his parents show a lack of authority. His need for parental leadership is shown in the way the child himself invests his parents with authority. He is proud of his father's strength and his mother's wisdom. He wants these qualities to provide a strong home in which he can be safe."

I met with a group of teen-age youngsters in Lincoln Park, Mich., just south of Detroit, and discussed this with them. Their remarks were revealing:

"The trouble today is your Ma says you can't do something and the next minute she changes her mind and lets you do it," one boy said.

"Gosh, no kid can look up to a father whose got a lot of mush where his backbone should be,' another chimed in.

"HE MEANS IT"

A grinning realist among them added, "If they let us walk all over em we're going to. Why shouldn't we?"

The only boy who seemed to feel he had something to boast about was the one who said, "Well, you guys aren't talking about my Pa. When he says something he means it."

Talk to children anywhere and you will quickly discover that though they may enjoy wrapping their parents around their little fingers if they can get away with it still in their hearts they yearn for parents who are strong and stable. They are the first to condemn parents who are too weak to rear their own children.

Why do so many parents abdicate their own authority? I put the question to Director Samuel Whitman of the Cleveland Mental Health Association. He replied, "Because the exercise of authority takes work, it takes responsibility, and it takes strain. Too build parental authority upon a base of affection, a parent must make a real effort."

REQUIRES CONFIDENCE

Others pointed out that to exercise authority requires confidence, and lack of confidence seems to be a parental disease these days. Undoubtedly some of the confidence has been shaken by the experts themselves, who in recent years have too often rung the gong for soft parenthood. They have not wanted parents to expect too much or demand too much of their children.

This tide is turning too. Director Whitman, while citing the obvious harm in giving nothing to a child and demanding everything, also pointed out, "If the parent gives everything and demands nothing, he fails the child, too. He fails him not only in the personal contract of parenthood—but also in the social contract. It is each parent's duty to society to pass on to his or her children the principle that each of our rights is counterbalanced by an obligation."

This is the point at which parental authority becomes, for the child, the symbol of all the various forms of authority he will encounter later on. If he can walk over his parents he will try the same maneuver later on with his teachers, his employer, and perhaps even with his community and government.

PARENTS SET PATTERN

"The only form of government the child knows is his parents," commented Juvenile Court Humphrey G. Dukes of Savannah, Ga. "They set the pattern for how he is going to act toward other forms of government later on." If the pattern is one of intractibility, rebellion, and disrespect for the rights of others, this child is going to be in plenty of hot water eventually.

In its coming of age, child psychology today is less prone to cast away the tested wisdom of all times and more prone to use it as a base on which to build. One psychologist, in making a point, quoted the Bible to me (Proverbs 22:6) —"Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it."

The poet Kahlil Gibran wrote of his parents as "the bows from which your children as living arrows are sent forth." And Gibran noted that even as God, the Archer, "loves the arrow that flies so He loves the bow that is stable." Distributed by The Register and Tribune Syndicate.

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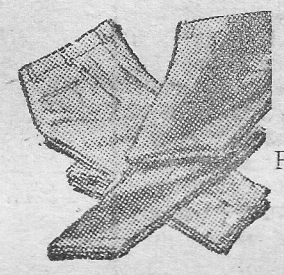

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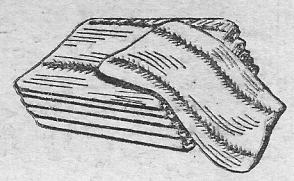

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JEST N' FUN

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This time, he stepped back, raised his hat, and gallantly remarked: "Just once more, honey, then I really must go."

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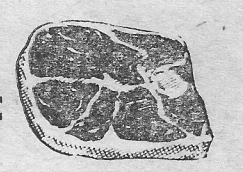

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